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[1] C. A. Swenson, "From the IPTS-68 to the ITS-90", in: *Temperature, its Measurement and Control in Science and Industry*, Volume 7, 1-6 (American Institute of Physics, New York, 1992).